

AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Applicant : Gabant et al.
 App. No. : 10/031,021
 Filed : March 19, 2002
 For : NON-HUMAN
 GENETICALLY MODIFIED
 MAMMAL LACKING THE
 ALPHA-FETOPROTEIN
 Examiner : Nguyen, D. T.
 Art Unit : 1632

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Sir:

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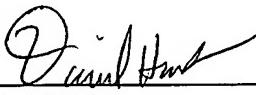
- (X) Amendment and Response to Office Action in 7 pages.
- (X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to Office Action mailed March 12, 2004 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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